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TAGS: CDES, AU (HARRIS, ERNST CHARLES)

SUBJECT: DEATH OF ERNST CHARLES HARRIS

FOR MRS. SELMA HARRIS

4099 GRAUENSTEIN HIGHWAY N

SEBASTOPOL, CALIFORNIA 95472

I DEEPLY REGRET TO HAVE TO INFORM YOU THAT THE LANDESKRANKEN-  
HAUS HOSPITAL, MUELLNER-HAUPTSTRASSE 48, 5020 SALZ-  
BURG, AUSTRIA, REPORTED TO AMERICAN CONSULATE SALZBURG, AUSTRIA,  
THAT YOUR HUSBAND, MR. ERNST CHARLES HARRIS, BORN ON MAY 17,  
1907, DIED AUGUST 25 AT 11:30 P.M. AS LOCAL AUTHORITIES RE-  
QUIRE DISPOSITION REMAINS WITHIN 72 HOURS TIME OF DEATH, FOLLOWING  
ESTIMATES ARE PROVIDED FOR YOUR INFORMATION AND PLANNING: ESTI-  
MATED COST BURIAL SALZBURG DOLLARS 450; PREPARATION AND RETURN TO  
CALIFORNIA BY AIR DOLLARS 2,780; CREMATION AND LOCAL BURIAL DOL-  
LARS 400; CREMATION AND AIRSHIPMENT ASHES TO U.S. DOLLARS 330.  
PLEASE TELEGRAPH INSTRUCTIONS PROMPTLY AND DIRECTLY TO AMERICAN  
CONSULATE, SALZBURG, AUSTRIA. INCLUDE NAME DECEASED YOUR REPLY.  
STATE WHETHER REQUIRED FUNDS ARE BEING TELEGRAPHED. INCLUDE NAME  
AND ADDRESS OF FUNERAL HOME IN U.S. IF SHIPMENT DESIRED. SEP-  
ARATELY TELEGRAPH FUNDS THROUGH AMERICAN EXPRESS NEW YORK TO  
AMERICAN EXPRESS SALZBURG. MAKE FUNDS PAYABLE TO AMERICAN CON-  
SULATE SALZBURG FOR CASE OF ERNST CHARLES HARRIS. AIRMAIL HUS-  
BAND'S PASSPORT TO AMERICAN CONSULATE SALZBURG, AUSTRIA, IMM-  
EDIATELY. UPON RECEIPT REQUIRED FUNDS, YOUR INSTRUCTIONS WILL  
BE CARRIED OUT AS PROMPTLY AS CIRCUMSTANCES PERMIT. ESTIMATE  
MINIMUM SEVEN DAYS REQUIRED FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF FUNDS TO COM-  
plete LOCAL ARRANGEMENTS. AS SOON AS AVAILABLE, SHIPMENT DATA  
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WILL BE TELEGRAPHED TO FUNERAL HOME YOU SELECT. UPON COMPLETION

ALL FORMALITIES, COPY OF REPORT OF DEATH TO BE PREPARED BY  
CONSULATE WILL BE SENT TO YOU. HOSPITAL CHARGES NOT YET KNOWN.  
PLEASE ACCEPT MY SYMPATHY IN YOUR BEREAVEMENT.  
AMERICAN CONSULATE  
SALZBURG, AUSTRIA MEEHAN

NOTE BY OC/T: PASSED SEBASTOPOL, CALIFORNIA.

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